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Application No. 10/551,328

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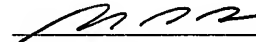
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For: SUPPORTING ORGAN FOR AN AXIALLY MOVING BODY

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Sir:

Please find enclosed for filing:

- Response to Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C 371
- Copy of Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C 371
- Check in the amount of \$65.00
- Signed Declaration and Power of Attorney
- Return receipt postcard


Please charge any deficiencies or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 50-0951.

Respectfully submitted,

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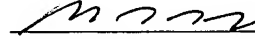
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RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C 371

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Sir:

In the above-identified application, Applicants have received a Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C 371, mailed June 6, 2006, indicating that the oath was missing. Applicants hereby submit the Declaration for the above-identified application signed by the inventors and a check in the amount of \$65.00 for the surcharge required under 37 C.F.R. §1.492(e). Applicants authorize any underpayment to be charged to Deposit Account No. 50-0951. A copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 dated June 6, 2006 is enclosed. Examination on the merits is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted;

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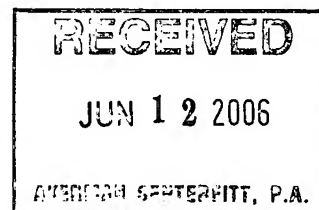
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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Copy of the International Application filed on 09/29/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 09/29/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 09/29/2005
- Copy of references cited in ISR filed on 09/29/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 09/29/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 09/29/2005
- Specification filed on 09/29/2005
- Claims filed on 09/29/2005
- Abstracts filed on 09/29/2005
- Drawings filed on 09/29/2005



The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is **\$65** for a Small Entity:

- **\$65** Surcharge.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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